

PATENT APPLICATION  
Docket No. 16056.10

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of )  
Willi Neumann )  
Serial No.: 10/551,664 ) Art Unit  
Filed: September 30, 2005 ) 1651  
Conf. No.: 4589 )  
For: PROCESS FOR SURFACE ACTIVATION )  
AND/OR DEVULCANIZATION OF SULFUR- )  
VULCANIZED RUBBER PARTICLES )  
Examiner: Deborah K. Ware )  
Customer No.: 022913 )

**AMENDMENT "C" AFTER FINAL**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 24, 2009 ("Office Action") (part of Paper No./Mail Date 20091105), please amend and reconsider the above-identified application in accordance with the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** beginning on page 2 of this paper; and

**Remarks** beginning on page 8 of this paper.